

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MAINTAINING HYDRATION AND
INTEGRITY OF WATER-BASED SUBSTANCES DURING USE, STORAGE,
AND TRANSPORT

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

10 A hydrating paint box and palette system for using,
storing, and transporting paints or other water-based
substances is disclosed. The paint box (10) contains a
plurality of wells (30), each with a cover (28) that
limits exposure to air and reduces evaporation,
preventing the contents of the wells (30) from drying
out. The wells (30) contain a sponge (34) that when
moistened with water provides a hydrating mechanism
15 creating a moist environment for storing water-based
substances such as acrylic paints. The substances can be
used directly from the well (30) and can be transported
conveniently without contaminating each other.